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Note verbale dated 2 July 2018 from the Permanent Mission of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) and has the honour to transmit herewith the report of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea on new measures taken by the Government to implement the relevant Council resolutions at the national level (see annex).

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Annex to the note verbale dated 2 July 2018 from the Permanent Mission of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

Report of Equatorial Guinea on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2270 (2016), 2321 (2016), 2356 (2017), 2371 (2017), 2375 (2017) and 2397 (2017)

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) and, in compliance with paragraph 12 (a) of that resolution, has the honour to present the following additional information to complement its reports on measures taken by Equatorial Guinea to implement the provisions of resolutions 2375 (2017) and 2397 (2017) (see S/AC.49/2017/112 and S/AC.49/2018/34).

The measures taken by the Government of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea pursuant to the above-mentioned resolutions, in addition to the previously adopted measures, are set out below.

The Minister for Agriculture, Livestock, Forests and the Environment, in his letter of 17 April 2018, provided the following report:

> With regard to the sanctions imposed by the United Nations Security Council against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, concerning the prohibition of the continued development of weapons of mass destruction, the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Forests and the Environment has implemented the following actions to restrict and/or eliminate relations with that country:
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> 1. In the agriculture and livestock subsector, the regional office of the Ministry has been instructed to restrict cooperation with North Korea. To that end, all activities of the North Korean agricultural company Miramax, based in the municipality of Oveng, have been stopped. The company has liquidated its assets and expatriate staff have already returned to North Korea.
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> 2. In the forests and environment subsector, all the activities of the forestry company Chilbo have been stopped. The company has sold its sawmill in the municipality of Milong, in the district of Añisork, and its veneer and plywood manufacturing business in Bome to the Chinese company Changxi, and staff have been repatriated.
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> 3. The Office of the President of Equatorial Guinea, in a letter dated 2 January 2018, revoked the memorandum of understanding on agricultural cooperation that had been signed with the Ministry of Agriculture of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea on 13 September 2017 in Malabo.